Fiscal Analysis SCHOOL COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM



Bill/Sponsor HOUSE BILL 4720 As Introduced, Rep. Philip J. LaJoy

House Committee Education

Analysis Summary

Amends the Management and Budget Act to require the department to create and operate a cooperative bulk purchasing program for local school districts, public school academies, and intermediate school districts to reduce the costs of purchasing goods and supplies for schools.

Fiscal Impact

There will be some additional cost to the Department of Management and Budget to set up the program however the actual cost is indeterminate.

Many school districts already participate in local cooperative purchasing programs. However, to the extent that it increases the purchasing of less-expensive items in bulk, it would save local districts, public school academies and intermediate districts money.

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